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I CAN KEEP ON SMILING BECAUSE I LIKE WHAT I DO.
THIRD CHAPTER: TAMAKO AND THE VICTIM
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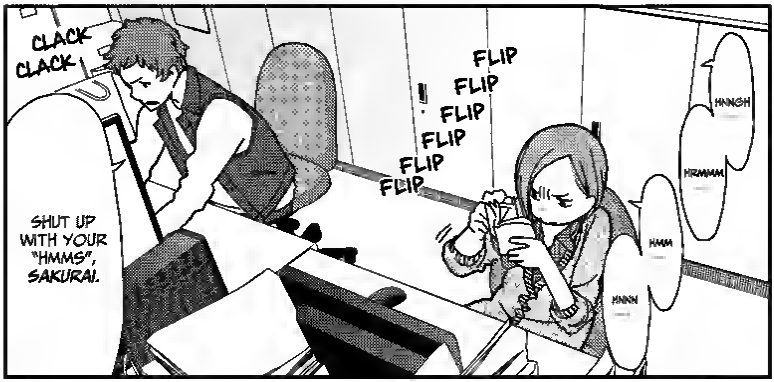
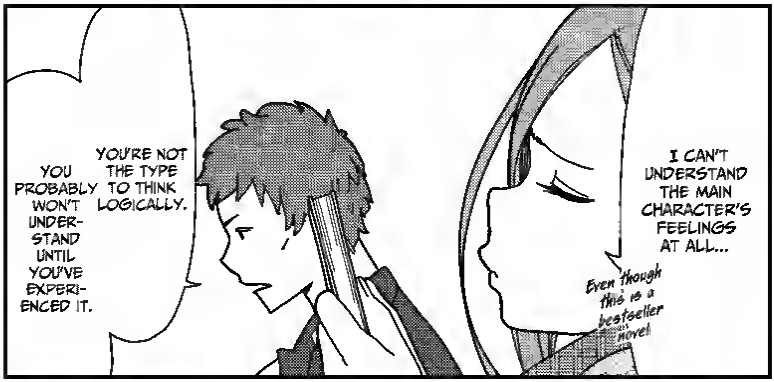
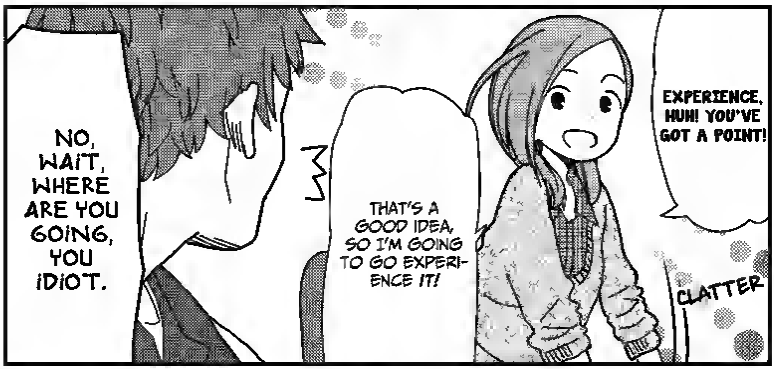
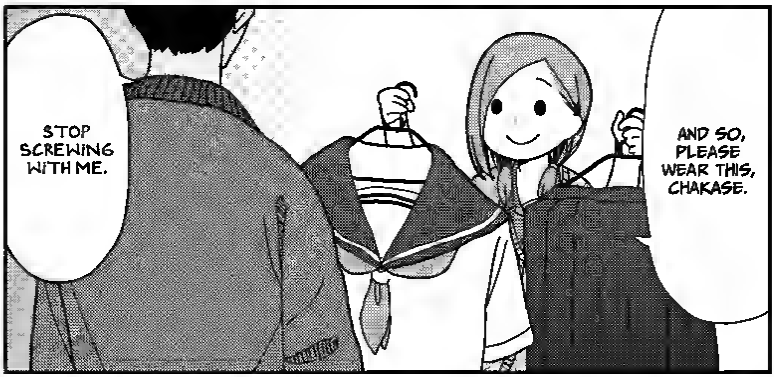
A VICTIM IS BORN



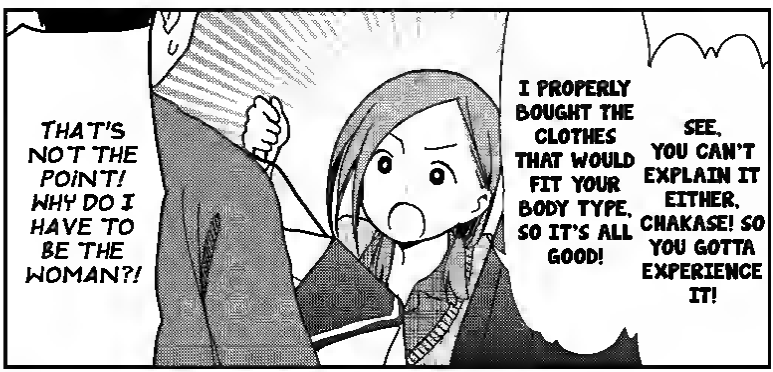

YOU'RE NOT THE TYPE TO THINK LOGICALLY.
YOU PROBABLY WON'T UNDERSTAND UNTIL YOU'VE EXPERIENCED IT.
I CAN'T UNDERSTAND THE MAIN CHARACTER'S FEELINGS AT ALL...
Even though this is a bestseller novel

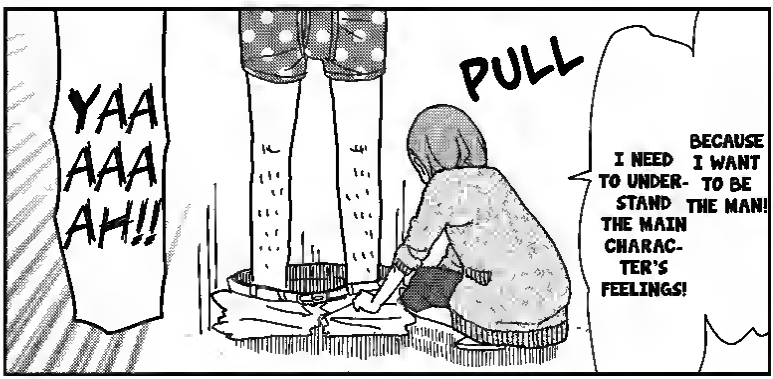

NO, WAIT, WHERE ARE YOU GOING, YOU IDIOT.
THAT'S A GOOD IDEA, SO I'M GOING TO GO EXPERIENCE IT!
EXPERIENCE, HUH! YOU'VE GOT A POINT!
CLATTER



UH WELL...
BECAUSE IT'S FICTION.
THIS MAIN CHARACTER HAS A HAREM.
AND HE'S SO INDECISIVE AND BLUNT AND DENSE AND UNAWARE. SO WHY IS HE SO POPULAR?

T/N:
Like every main character ever.


THAT'S NOT THE POINT! WHY DO I HAVE TO BE THE WOMAN?!
I PROPERLY BOUGHT THE CLOTHES THAT WOULD FIT YOUR BODY TYPE, SO IT'S ALL GOOD!
SEE, YOU CAN'T EXPLAIN IT EITHER, CHAKASE! SO YOU GOTTA EXPERIENCE IT!



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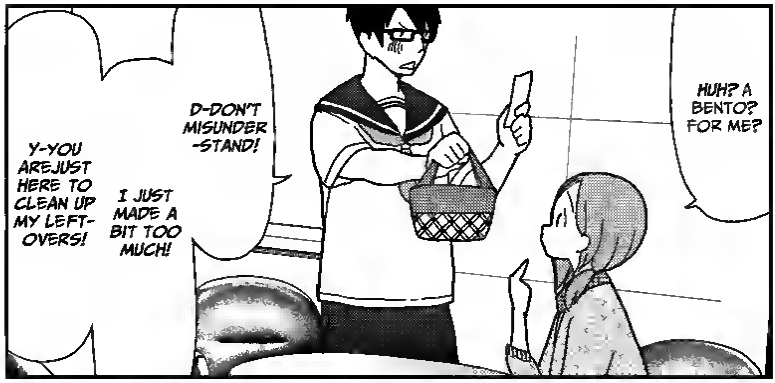
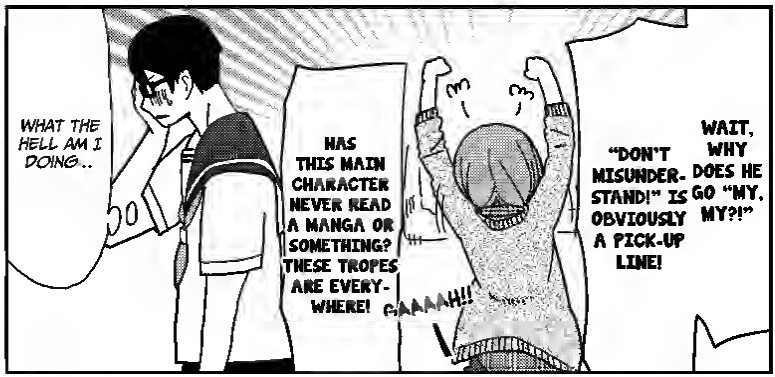
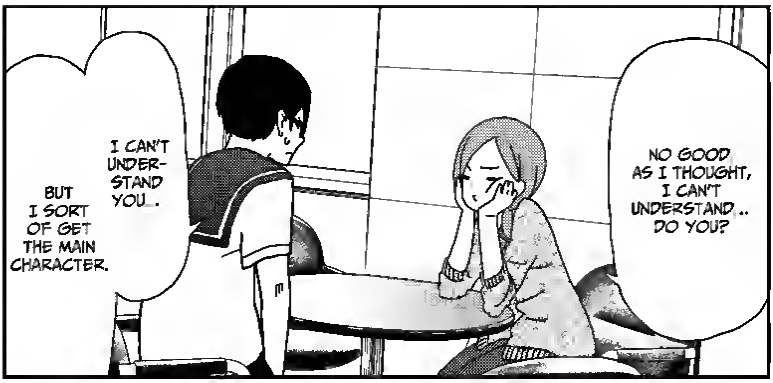
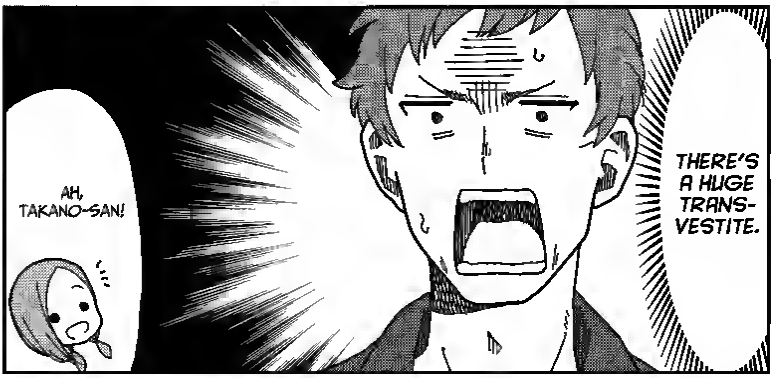



WHAT THE HELL AM I DOING..
HAS THIS MAIN CHARACTER NEVER READ A MANGA OR SOMETHING? THESE TROPES ARE EVERY-WHERE!
AAAAH!!
"DON'T MISUNDER-STAND!" IS OBVIOUSLY A PICK-UP LINE!
WAIT, WHY DOES HE GO "MY, MY?!"

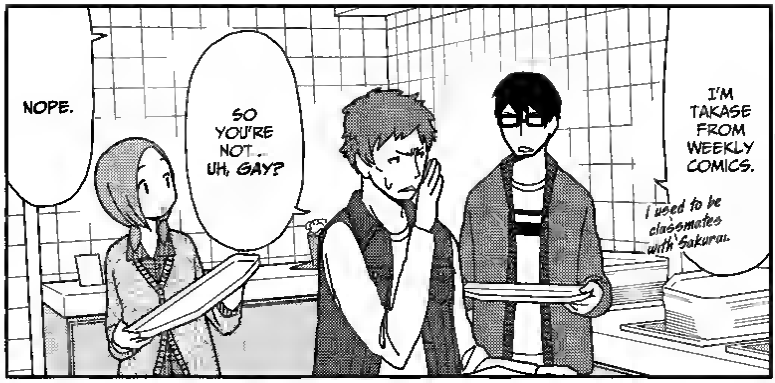
CHAKASE IS AGAIN CAUGHT IN A TURMOIL



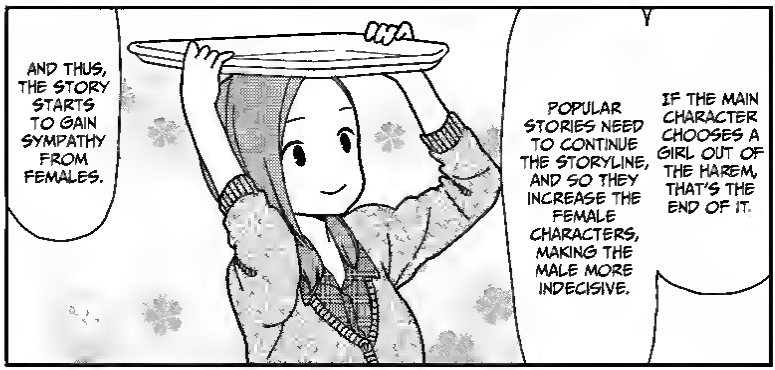
*OH, THIS ONE'S A TSUNDERE AND SHE LIKES ME! PLUS, SHE FOLLOWS THE MANGA TROPE!"
IF SOMEONE WERE TO BE THAT ANALYTICAL, IT WOULD PISS ME OFF.



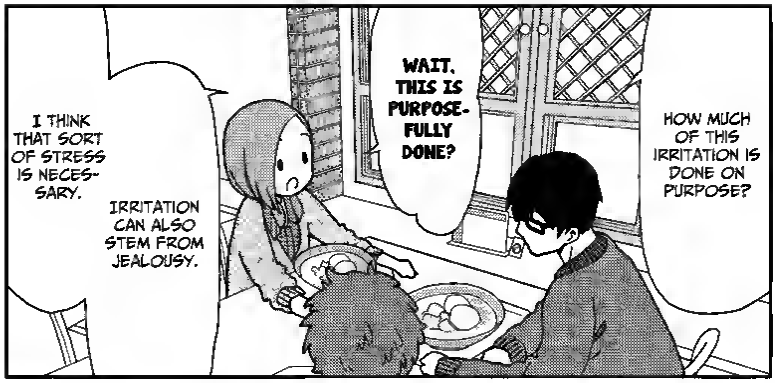
The instructor is extremely disturbed.



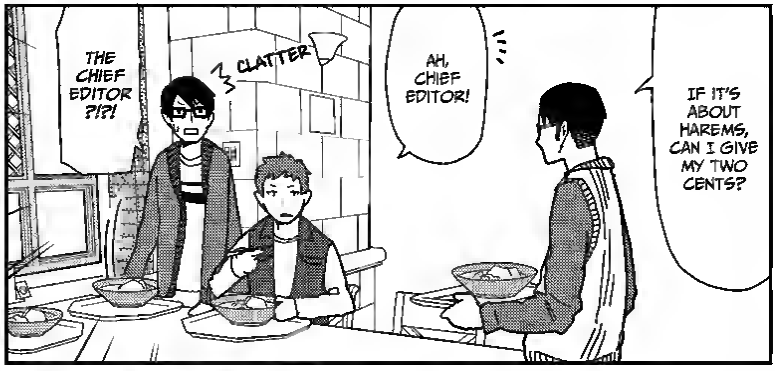
CONTINUING THE TOPIC AT THE EMPLOYEE CAFETERIA


IF THE MAIN CHARACTER CHOOSES A GIRL OUT OF THE HAREM, THAT'S THE END OF IT.
POPULAR STORIES NEED TO CONTINUE THE STORYLINE, AND SO THEY INCREASE THE FEMALE CHARACTERS, MAKING THE MALE MORE INDECISIVE.
AND THUS, THE STORY STARTS TO GAIN SYMPATHY FROM FEMALES.

AN AMAZING CONTRIBUTOR APPEARS


I THINK THAT SORT OF STRESS IS NECESSARY.
IRRITATION CAN ALSO STEM FROM JEALOUSY.
WAIT. THIS IS PURPOSEFULLY DONE?
HOW MUCH OF THIS IRRITATION IS DONE ON PURPOSE?

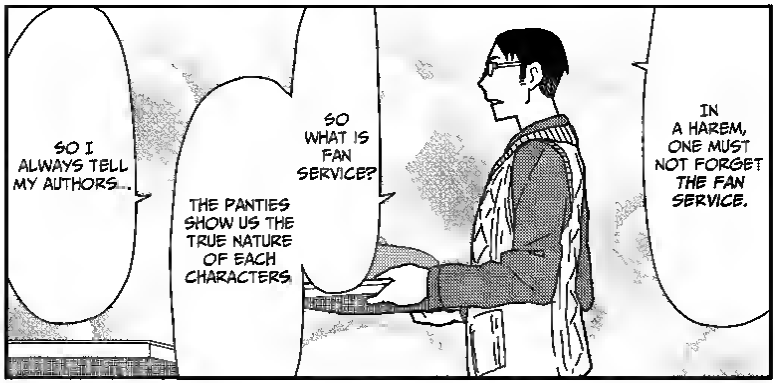
I don't wanna read that!
BEYOND THE STRESS IS THE CATHARSIS!
DO YOU WANT TO READ SOMETHING THAT STRESSES YOU?
You're passionate.

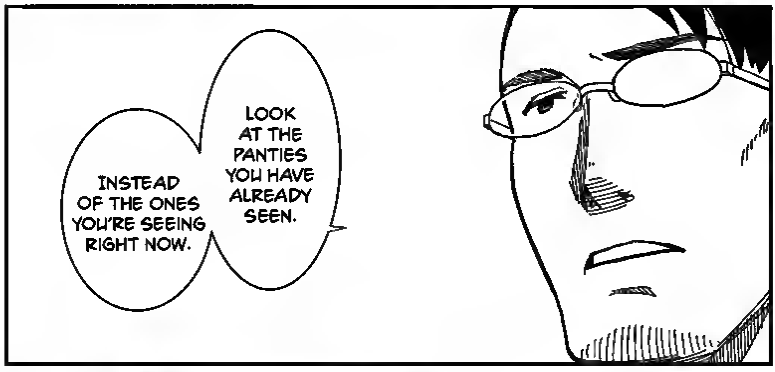


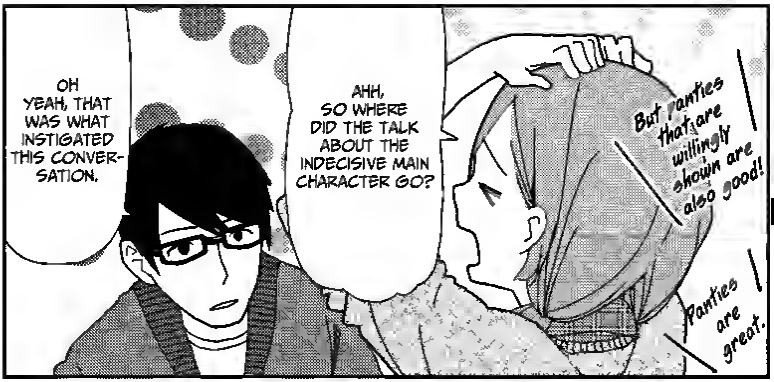
The chief will tell you what's truly important.

THAT'S NOT THE POINT.
YOU CAN BUY THEM WITH A FEW THOUSAND YEN
INDEED.
PANTIES ARE A STABLE FACTOR IN RELEASING AND FORGETTING STRESS!

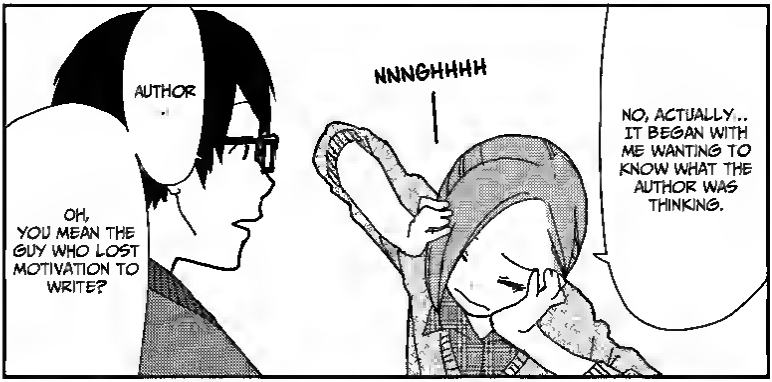
TEACHINGS OF THE CHIEF EDITOR

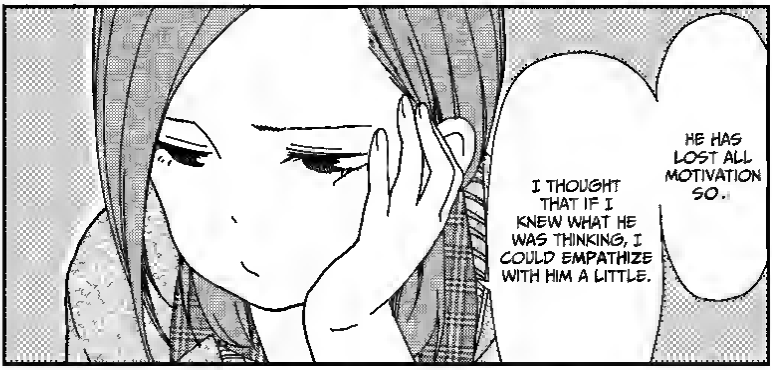

SO I ALWAYS TELL MY AUTHORS...
SO WHAT IS FAN SERVICE?
THE PANTIES SHOW US THE TRUE NATURE OF EACH CHARACTERS
IN A HAREM, ONE MUST NOT FORGET THE FAN SERVICE.

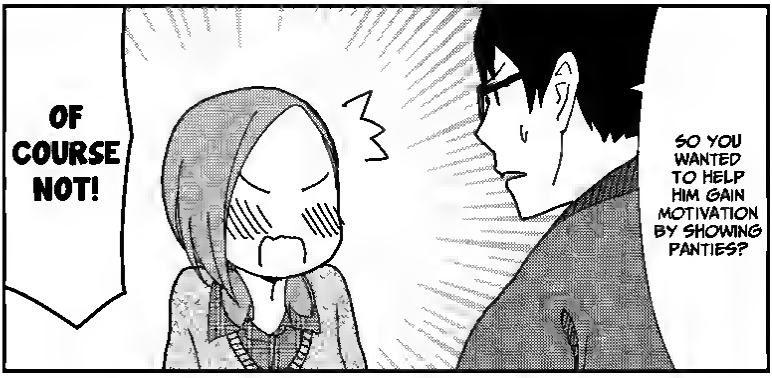



OH YEAH, THAT WAS WHAT INSTIGATED THIS CONVERSATION.
AHH, SO WHERE DID THE TALK ABOUT THE INDECISIVE MAIN CHARACTER GO?
But panties that are willingly shown are also good!
Panties are great.

WHERE IS YOUR MOTIVATION?

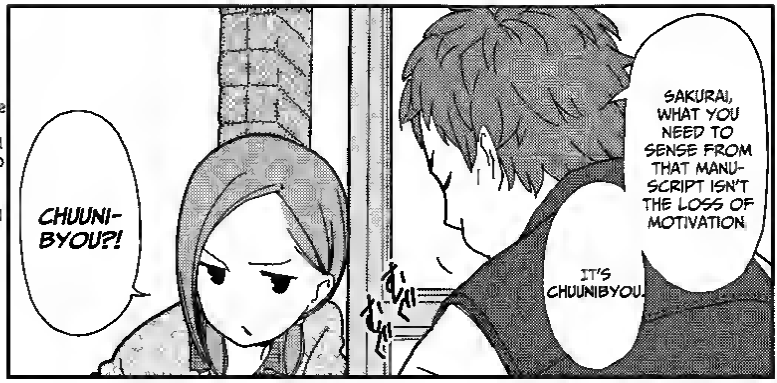

AUTHOR
OH, YOU MEAN THE GUY WHO LOST MOTIVATION TO WRITE?
NNNGHHHH
NO, ACTUALLY... IT BEGAN WITH ME WANTING TO KNOW WHAT THE AUTHOR WAS THINKING.

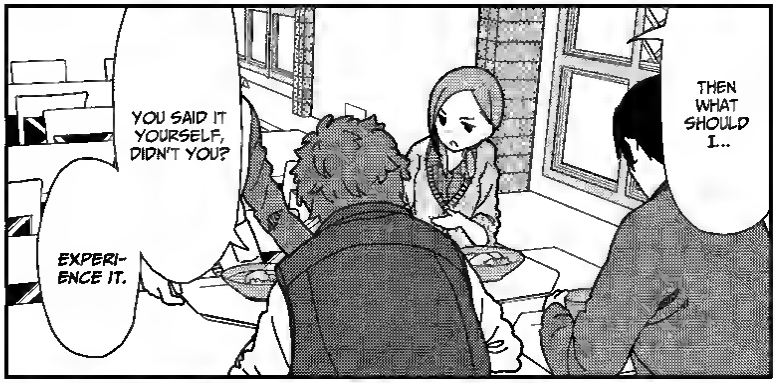


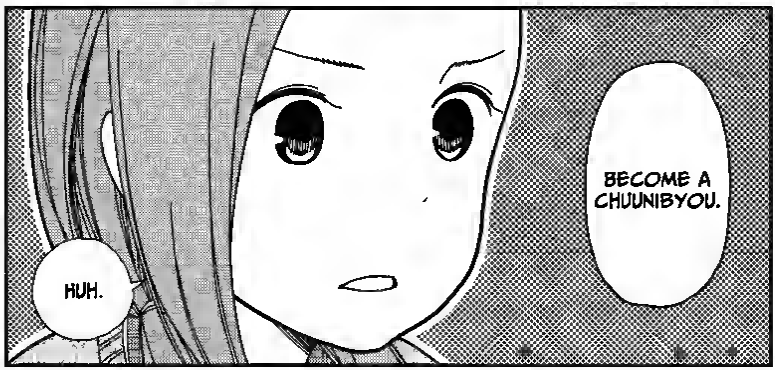


You gain motivation, but you lose a little something inside.

T/N: Chuunibyou= second year middle school syndrome, where kids around that age read too much manga and think that they have supernatural powers or can save the world, and become completely delusional and not okay.

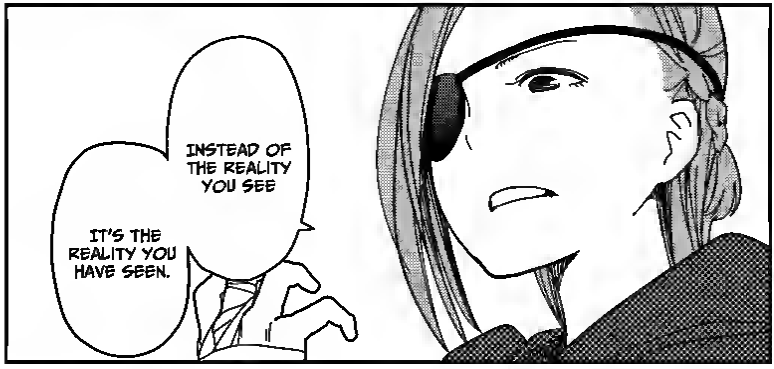




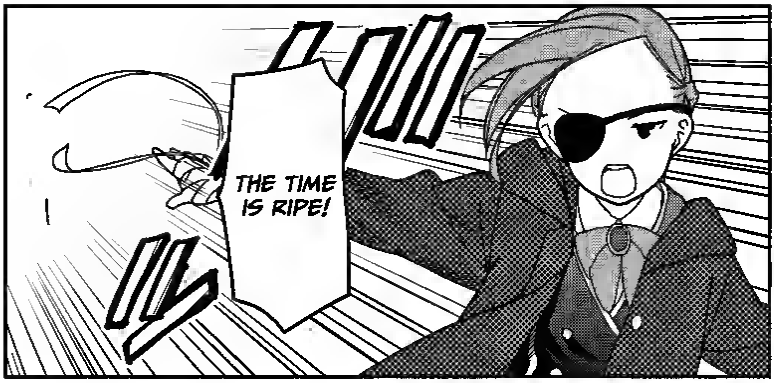


THIS ISN'T A HAREM, BUT CHUUNIBYOU.*

FOOLED BY THE ATMOSPHERE

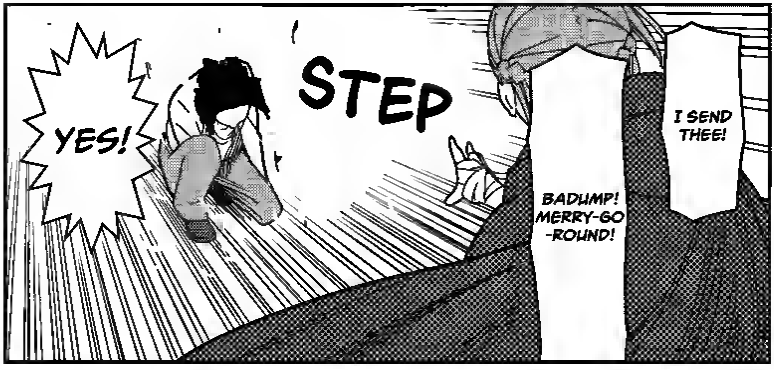


A whole new world.

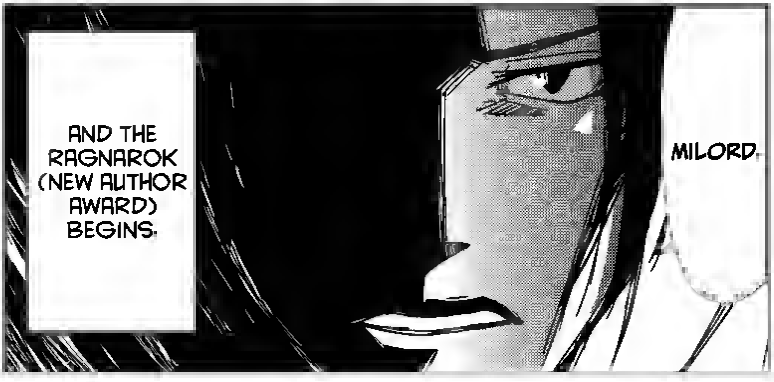


A GEYSER OVER-FLOWING WITH MOTIVATION

AND ENGRAVE (WRITE) YOURSELF INTO THIS WORLD! (THE LIGHT NOVEL WORLD)
GRIP YOUR SWORD! (PEN)
PREPARE FOR RAGNAROK! (THE NEW AUTHOR AWARD)
OH, CHOSEN ONE! (NEWBIE)



THUS, BADUMP! MERRY-GO -ROUND'S BATTLE BEGINS.



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